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PATENT APPLICATION
DOCKET NO. 10007009-1

IN THE
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

INVENTORS: Jeffrey Balluff et al.

CONFIRMATION NO.: 2802

SERIAL NO.: 09/864,738

GROUP ART UNIT: 2654

FILING DATE: 05/23/2001

EXAMINER: Azad, Abdul K.

TITLE: TELECOMMUNICATION APPARATUS AND METHODS

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Commissioner For Patents

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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED ON 08/10/04

SIR OR MADAM:

This Communication is in response to the Office action mailed on 08/10/04.

Claim Summary:

Claims hereby amended: 1, 5, 9-11, and 15-17.

Claims hereby canceled: 4.

Claims hereby added: none.

Claims remaining: 1-3 and 5-20.

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

- (X) Response/Amendment () Petition to extend time to respond
() New fee as calculated below () Supplemental Declaration
(X) No additional fee
(X) Other: Return Receipt Post Card (fee \$)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY						
(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	-19-	MINUS	-20-	= 0	X	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	-4-	MINUS	-4-	= 0	X	\$0.00
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM						+
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH	2ND MONTH	3RD MONTH	4TH MONTH		\$
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$0.00

Charge \$0.00 to Deposit Account 08-2025. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations that may regulate fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

Jeffrey Balluff and

Robert Sesek

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